

### Unit Holds Installation

April meeting of the Harbor Aquarium Society will be held on Thursday, April 23, at 8 p.m. in the Recreation Hall at McMasters Park, 174th and Yukon in Torrance.

On this occasion there will be no regular meeting as such. There will be an installation dinner for members, their families and friends. The new officers to be installed are: Vice president, Charles Wade, Lomita; president, Nancy Wood, Redondo Beach, secretary, Evelyn Church, Gardena, treasurer.

Committee heads for the new club year are: ticket chairman, Dean Wood; membership, Nancy Wood; editor of "Harbor Aquarium" and publicity, Bertha Hutchison; fish judge

and show table, Alvin McEwen; prize table, Charles Wade; program chairman, Robert George; hospitality chairman, Irene Harris.

During the evening, movies taken of the aquarium show at the Torrance Hobby Show two years ago will be shown by Irene Harris and there will be a short talk on "Hobby Shows in General" by one of the members. The club scrapbook and some of the trophies won by the club and club members will be on display.

### Club to Meet in Yucaipa

Members of the Breakfast Club will go in a group on May 3 to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Miller at Yucaipa for their regular monthly dinner meeting.

At the April meeting new officers were installed by Mrs. Bettina Miller and Mrs. Hazel Fossum.

Installed were Fred Bever, president; Dave Jones, vice president; and Mrs. Fred Bever, secretary-treasurer.

### ... Ann Landers

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old fell out of the car because Mom forgot to check the doors to see that they were locked. Fortunately he was not hurt. What can I do with a woman like this?—NERVOUS DAD.

Dear Dad: You can resign yourself to the fact that you have five children (not four) and that the oldest "child" needs watching more closely than the others.

Encourage the 12-year-old to "help" mother. Train the others to watch out for themselves and each other constantly. And check the car doors when you take your wife out — to make sure SHE doesn't fall out.

Dear Ann Landers: I received my engagement ring three weeks ago and was very thrilled, naturally. We've lived in this duplex for eight years and the girl upstairs is a good friend of mine. I told her right away and her first remark was "Hooray, I get to be a bridesmaid." (I intended to ask her but I think she should have



STUDY ARRANGEMENTS . . . Planning for their annual Flower Show, "Flower Carousel," to be staged by the Los Colinas Garden Club on May 4, are, from left, Mmes. Robert M. Baldwin, Sidney Greene and William Burk. The show will be held at the Burk home and is open to all club members and their families.

## 'Carousel' On May 4

Las Colinas Garden Club will stage its annual flower show on Monday, May 4, at the home of Mrs. William Burk. This year's show titled "A Flower Carousel" is open to all club members and their families. Junior exhibitors must be accompanied by an adult.

In charge of arrangements are Mrs. Jack Worthen and Mrs. Owen O'Brien. Serving as hostesses will be Mmes William Burk, Ray Hogan, Max Boyer, Richard Diedrich and William Leonard.

Exhibits will be judged from 9 to 11 a.m. and ribbons will be awarded in all classes for first, second, third places and sweepstakes.

Judges are Mrs. John W. Thuss and Mrs. R. G. Maben. Members of the club will bring guests to this affair and several garden clubs have been invited.

### Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stavert entertained at dinner and cards Saturday evening at their home, 1515 Amapola. Their guests were Mrs. W. I. Laughon, Mrs. Lolly Ahrens and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Golden of Palos Verdes.

## Dee Anne Gibson Becomes Bride of W. Bruce Blixt

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gibson of Redondo Beach, formerly of Torrance, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Dee Anne, to W. Bruce Blixt, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Blixt of Jamestown, New York.

The wedding was solemnized at 9 o'clock at the Wayfarers' Chapel in Portuguese Bend on March 28.

In the presence of both families, the Rev. Kenneth Knox officiated at the vow exchange.

For her wedding the bride wore a ballerina length chantilly lace over satin. It was fashioned on empire lines and had a square scalloped neckline and elbow length sleeves. A white bandeau held her shoulder length veil and she carried a bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis.

Miss Carol Fitzgerald served as the bride's attendant, wearing a bouffant gown of champagne taffeta. Her flowers were yellow roses.

David A. Blixt of Jamestown, N.Y., stood as his brother's best man.

A reception was held at the Hyatt House Hotel and the couple spent a honeymoon in La Jolla.

They are now at home at 11207 S. Prairie Ave., Inglewood.

The bride was graduated from Torrance High school in 1955 and El Camino college in 1957.

Her husband received his early education in Jamestown and was graduated from the Carnegie Institute of Technology in 1956.



MRS. W. B. BLIXT ... Weds Recently (Tax Isobe photo)

### Spring Dance Set for May 1

Las Vecinas Woman's club will stage its annual Spring Dance in the grand ballroom of the Thunderbird Hotel on May 1. Roy Clark's orchestra will furnish the dance music and a buffet has been planned. Reservations should be made by April 25 with June Arndt or Charlotte Madden.

### Stork Shower

Mrs. William Kesselman, the former Sally Speck, was complimented at a stork shower and luncheon given last Saturday by Mrs. Ove Densmore at her Redondo home.

Yellow Iris and Bells of Ireland formed the centerpiece on the four tables where luncheon was served. Mrs. Kesselman was presented with an array of baby gifts.

Guests were Mmes. Jack Dean, Ronald Ray, Edward Kesselman, Raymond Kesselman, Bertha Dunbar, Perry Edwin, Jerry Pemberton, Ernie Andrews, Kenneth Kinneman, Donald Hines, and Miss Linda Kesselman.

girls will be held at the YWCA, May 2, at 10 a.m. Taking charge of training and advising will be Kathy Reed, Flora Watson, Susan Saari, Pennie Voien, and Kendra McBride. After the sessions the girls will go to the beach for the afternoon.

### Silver Tea Given By Garden Unit

Garden Section of the Torrance Woman's club entertained other garden club members and friends at an open meeting and silver tea Wednesday at the clubhouse.

Present from the Neptunian club were Mrs. Donald Campbell, chairman; Mmes. Isabel Spracklin, H. R. Brandt, and F. C. Brenninger. Attending from the Venice Woman's club were Mrs. R. F. Carlstedt, chairman, Mmes. Giondora Witte, Grace Watson and Stella H. Shaw.

Speaker for the afternoon was Mrs. Margaret Baack of Santa Monica, lecturer and garden consultant for the Blue Whale Co. She showed colored slides of the Acne Peat Fields in Lulu Island, Vancouver. She pointed out the important part peat plays when combined with white stating that this combination had extra value to gardeners because of its ability to correct alkali soils and nourish them and preserve the moisture.

The door prize for the afternoon was won by Mrs. Spracklin.

Following the tea a short business meeting was held at which time the nominating committee presented its slate of officers.

Named were Mrs. Victor Benstead, chairman; Mrs. Alma Smith, treasurer; Mrs. Lillian Dunhouse, secretary. Mrs. Anna Boonstra conducted the meeting.

Several flower arrangements on display were done by Mrs. Benstead, a new member of the garden section.

### Two New Y-Teen Groups Organized at Local Y

With the addition of two new clubs this past week there are now 13 Y-Teen groups under the auspices of the Torrance YWCA serving the teenagers of the area. These clubs are open to all girls in the 7th through 12th grades. High School clubs are organized at Torrance, South, Narbonne and North High.

The first junior high group meets Monday afternoon at 4 p.m. at the YWCA. Mrs. Albert Voien is the high school consultant. Their officers are as follows: president, Susan Shield; vice president, Sue Bech; secretary, Robin Rector; treasurer, Mary Lou Reed; chaplain, Beverly Albert; sergeant-at-arms, Gail Burns and Melody Moran; and ICC representative, Cindy Holomon.

Members of this group include: Sharon Carter, Linda Hignight, Mary Ann Roth, Jeanne Leonard, Trudy Randall, Virginia Cowman, Jean Dalhausus, Karen Fay, Fay Anastassion, Dotsie Booth, Jan Richardson, Katie Mason, Sue Koltho, Kathy McCune, Sharon Faye Frazier, Sandra Lee McVey, Kerry Warden, Nancy

Bell, Pam Hazelton, Judy Weyant, Cynthia Wentz, Patsy Babb, Kim Hatch, Lynn Beckers, Diana Worthen, Margaret Riebold, and Patty Davis.

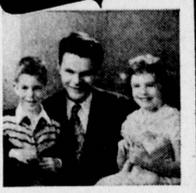
At South High the new freshman group will be headed by president Sandy Palmer. Her list of officers included: vice-president, Colleen Hadley, secretary, Carolyn Jones; treasurer, Jo Basler; chaplain, Tina Clark; sergeant-at-arms, Judi McClothlin, and ICC representative, Michele Crank.

Members of the group are Linda Showalter, Caroline Cool, Rosemary Balow, Margie Cashill, Sandy Young, Kathy Sharp, Yvonne Whitcotton, Gail Ibbotson, Phyllis Halstead, Melanie Scott, Pat Sellby, Judy Winther, Gretchen Strohmenger, Linda Rossi, Janice Hastler, Donna Doher, Shirley Stasback, Carla Troutner, Phyllis Parks, M'Lee Terry and Eileen Keenan.

Advisor for this group is Mrs. Jack H. McGlothlin. Kendra McBride is the senior consultant.

Any girl interested in joining one of these groups should contact one of the members. Officers training for the new

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